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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
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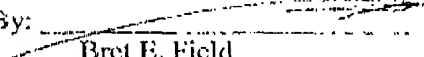
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

The Examiner is thanked for the interview held on February 25, 2004. During the interview, the previously filed amendment was discussed and the Examiner expressed continuing concern regarding the patentability of the claims in their present form in view of Bao. The Examiner indicated that an office action on the amended claims would be prepared and mailed shortly.

Respectfully submitted,

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